

## TO THE DEMOCRATS OF KENTUCKY.

Under Rules 27, 28 and 29, adopted by the democratic State convention, held in the city of Louisville on June 8, 1904, it is made the duty of all democrats in all the counties of the Commonwealth to assemble at their respective voting precincts, except in cities of the first, and second classes, on the third Monday in November, 1904, at the hour of 1 o'clock (standard time) and proceed then and there to the election of a precinct committee.

On the fourth Monday in November the precinct committees thus elected are required to meet at the county seats in counties having only one legislative district, and organize by electing a chairman and secretary; but in counties having more than one legislative district the precinct committees are required to meet at some convenient place designated by the chairman in now in office, who will preside until another chairman shall be elected.

In cities of the first and second classes the committees for the precincts will be appointed by the members of the State central committee in and for the Congressional district, embracing such cities, subject to the approval of the democratic State central committee; the committees thus appointed, after such approval, will meet and organize as in the case of committees who have been elected.

Chairmen and Secretaries of county, legislative and city committees may or may not be members thereof.

When said committees are thus organized, the chairman of each will send a list of his committee, indicating the precincts each represents, to the secretary of the Democratic State Central and Executive Committee at Frankfort. He will also report whether any precincts fail to hold an election at the time required, and, if so, indicate such precincts.

It is of the utmost importance that these details of the party organization be attended to. It is necessary to the party's success and harmony that the democrats in each precinct should select their own committees, and they should see to it that an earnest and zealous democrat, who will give his time and attention to the work, is named in each instance.

LEWIS McQUOWN, Chm. of State Central and Executive Committee.

PERCY HALY, Secy.

## A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

Itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles. Druggists refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest, 50c. If your druggist hasn't sent you in stamps and it will be forwarded post-paid by Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo.

A strong flow of natural gas was struck near Paris, Ky., and a negro striking a match was almost burned to death.

## BRODHEAD.

Miss Etta Coulter, of Danville, is visiting Miss Ella Dunn.

Mr. W. H. Pettus and writer and Miss Etta Coulter, are back from the World's fair, much delighted with their trip.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Higgy Baker died Saturday.

Miss Nannie Yaden has returned from a delightful trip to relatives at Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Mort Robinson came up from Danville last week to see Mr. Josh Dunn who is in very poor health.

The meeting at the Christian church conducted by Revs. J. C. Livingston of Crab Orchard, and C. E. Powell of Lexington, had to be closed Sunday night on account of the illness of brother Powell. There were three additions to the church.

Rev. R. R. Noel filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday. The church has called him another year.

Mrs. J. H. Jarrett went to Livingston Monday to see her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Cooper.

## HANSFORD.

Mr. Wade Graves has moved to his farm near Mr. Rows.

Mr. W. G. Niceley was in Mt. Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Robt. Bloomer still continues very sick.

Miss Mattie Dyre and father were in Mt. Vernon Saturday.

J. W. Kinley spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives near Pine Hill.

Eddie McKinney has been right with for a few days.

Mrs. James McPherson, who has been sick so long, still continues about the same.

The little daughter of Parmer McPherson died of typhoid fever. The burial took place in the Barnes burying ground Thursday morning.

Mrs. Graves has moved into the house vacated by Wade Graves.

The boys are all rejoicing over the game law being out.

Reht. McClure, who has been sick, is better.

Everyone seems to be getting their turkeys and pumpkins ready for the Thanksgiving feast.

Mr. Tom Niceley spent Sunday night with his brother, G. W. Niceley.

## HERB W. EDWARDS INJURED.

Herb W. Edwards, of Des Moines, Iowa, got a fall on an icy walk last winter, spraining his wrist and bruising his knees. "The next day," he says, "they were so sore and stiff I was afraid I would have to stay in bed, but I rubbed them with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications all soreness had disappeared. I feel that this bottle of Pain Balm saved me several days' time, to say nothing of the suffering." This liniment is on sale at the drugstore of Chas. C. Davis.

George Lenox Watson, the yacht designer, is dead.

## LEVEL GREEN.

Again I say "Blessed are they that expect nothing" but then I didn't expect such a pile of it. Why sir it just keeps a piling up mountains high. It now seems that Texas has the right name, for she undoubtedly stands alone.

Watterson, Cleveland, Hill & Co. can't look at Bryan and his Bryan men and say: "You're the cause of it," and "We told you so." Now where will you saddle your anathemas. Poor old Missouri! I have sweat as it were great drops of blood on your account. Why, what on earth did you mean? Let's let the curtain fall and hide the awful scene from view, and were it possible I'd blot it from memory and bury it in the seas of forgetfulness, but alas, alas.

Bros. Todd and Hargis are holding a series of meetings at Friendship and will continue for some days. Bro. Todd will perhaps take pastoral care of the church for a while.

We carried one voting precinct in Rockcastle by one vote and that vote was mine. Surely I feel proud of that little distinction. Let's not become discouraged, fellow democrats, the defeat is overwhelming. Yet should the mother as lief for get her babe or the eagle forsake her nest as for us to lay aside Jeffersonian principles. Catch your breath and we'll try again.

The skies are threatening and the earth dry, and all things thirsty; may be we will get some rain.

No traders, deaths or marriages to chronicle, and people have quit visiting here for fear of a return trip.

Our aims are cussin the game law bitterly. No good thing ever came to us "uncussed" or not "abused." The biggest, loudest and longest denunciations of the aforesaid law comes from fellows who do not own one foot of land upon the face of earth. Now let all land owners do their duty and post their farms and keep sitch off entirely, or until they learn to respect the rights of others.

The primary becomes more interesting as the days go by. Here will be the nominees, in my guess: Bethum, Lewis, Miller, Griffin, Branaman, Ballard and, well let me think,—Will Decker or Jarrett. Who can beat this guess? Now don't let any candidate get scared and withdraw from the track for I am only guessing and a bad guesser at that.

The sick are no better, Jack Towery, who is suffering from lung trouble, is no better.—Mrs. Hick is yet confined and helpless with rheumatism.—John M. Hurst walked to church a few days since; the first time he's been guilty of such a caper for 4 years.—Hurrah for him.

A beef, a fat hog or a chicken dies to supply the lack of bacon. Bacon is very scarce.

BUCK VARNOS.

As abbreviated: Said a young physician named Proctor,

"I thought I was my grocer's Dr. But according to his statement by letter,

It seems that I am only his Dr."

## MAGISTRATES.

CANNOT SERVE AS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS IN COUNTIES.

One Lawful Supervisor.

In reversing judgment of Floyd circuit court in a case of Boyd county against Jack Arthur and others, magistrates of the county, the Court of Appeals construed the law authorizing the appointing of Supervisors of roads in counties and the expenditures of public money for that purpose. It holds that members of the fiscal court cannot serve as road supervisors, and cannot vote money to themselves for such work, that it has no authority to appoint more than one supervisor for the county; that it has no authority to allow its members any other compensation than that fixed by law, and that where the county attorney refuses for any reason to prosecute an appeal to the circuit court or the Court of Appeals, the county judge of the county is authorized to prosecute it. The opinion of the court was delivered by Judge Hobson. The question was presented to the court through the making of an order by the fiscal court of of Boyd county appropriating to four magistrates the sum of \$1,400, to be spent "according to the directions of each magistrate," and of another order allowing these magistrates the sum of \$3 per day each for "supervising and directing" the work in their respective districts in constructing and maintaining county roads. The county judge opposed to appropriation of the money, and instituted suit to restrain the court. He says that so much of the order appropriating \$1,400 is unobjectionable in so far as the orders direct that the money shall be "according to the directions of each magistrate," they are void.—Courier-Journal.

## NOT A SICK DAY SINCE.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter I was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of rheumatism, neuralgia, liver and kidney troubles and general debility. This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50-cts. at all druggists."

"Servant—Before O'hoia t' yez O'd loik t' ask if yez air av a jealous timpermint, ma'am.

Mistress (haughtily)—Why do you ask that?

Servant—'Cause if yez air, no money would tempt me t' take th' job. O' niver loik t' make thrubble betwene m'm and wof, ma'am.

THE EXACT THING REQUIRED FOR CONSTIPATION.

"As a certain purgative and stomach purifier, Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets seem to be the exact thing required, strong enough for the most robust, yet mild enough and safe for children and without that terrible griping so common to most purgatives," says R. S. Webster & Co., Udon, Ontario, Canada. For sale by Chas. C. Davis, the druggist.

Culinary Diplomacy.—"Now, Jane," said the boarding house landlady to the new waitress, "I want you to look over the papers carefully morning and evening and if they contain any bad news make a note of it and be sure to tell it to the boarders before serving them."

"Very well, ma'am," replied Jane. "But what is the object, ma'am?"

"Well," explained the landlady, "bad news always affects one's appetite, and that little scheme enables me to save a lot of provisions in the course of a year."

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25 cts.

"Say," remarked DeLong, "that's a swell suit of clothes you have on."

"That's what!" rejoined Shortleigh. "Just got it yesterday."

"So?" queried DeLong. "How much do you owe for it?"

## CONWAY.

The election passed off quietly here, not a loud word was heard. Every one voted and went home.

Charley Drew, one of the leading republicans here, is better pleased over the result of the election than Roosevelt himself.

Uncle Dave Martin died the hardest of any democrat in this precinct.

Quite a number of hogs have been butchered in this section during these fine frosty mornings.

M. L. Kelton and wife have gone to Richmond, to spend the winter with their son, Wm. Kelton, who is in the railroad service there.

Irish potatoes are plentiful and slow sale at 50 cts. per bushel.

Mr. Perry Lambert, of London, visited relatives here first of the week.

Mr. G. W. Jones is on the sick list this and last week.

Mr. Rusaw Willis and wife, of Berea, visited relatives here this week.

Plenty of bird hunters this week. The water is getting so low in our little creek the fish are dying in some places.

NOTICE TO MY FRIENDS.

I am pleased to inform you, my health is improving, though I am still unable to get out. Therefore it was impossible for me to make a canvass of the county. I earnestly request my friends to use all honorable means to secure my nomination for Jailer. If nominated and elected I promise to make you an efficient officer.

Thanking you in advance, I am yours very truly,

LUTHER L. JARRETT.

DOESN'T RESPECT OLD AGE.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age.

Dyspepsia, jaundice, fever, constipation all yield to this perfect pill. 25-cts. at all druggists.

Mrs. Hadden Hall—My servant girl is always breaking dishes. Do you have any trouble of that kind with yours?

Mrs. Bond Hill—No, indeed; it keeps them so busy breaking records that they haven't time to bother with dishes.

Mrs. Hadden Hall—Breaking records? Why, what do you mean?

Mrs. Bond Hill—Every girl I get tries to break the record of her predecessor as a short stayer.

A RUNAWAY BICYCLE.

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Ornor, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a subcutaneous ulcer, unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for burns, scalds, skin eruptions and piles. 25-cts. at all druggists.

Wife—Why, John, what are you sitting there for?

Husband—I left my watch upstairs, so I'm waiting for it to run down.

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IS THE PLACE TO BUY CLOTHING AT COST.

\$12.00 Suits, now \$9.00.—\$5.00 Suits, now \$3.00.

We have about 300 Suits that will go that way. OVERCOATS at cost, \$6.00 Coats for \$4.00.

Our \$1 Suits of Underwear will go at 80 cts. from the 6th until the 13th.

Regular 10c. Outing will be sold at 9cts. from the 6th until the 13th; after which time it will be sold for 10cts.

IN LADIES DRESS GOODS, we have the Finest line of Winter goods ever brought to town.

COME AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK.

F. KRUEGER & SONS,

Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

P. S.—Watch this space for Special Bargains.

## LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

### PUBLIC SALE.

On Monday, Dec. 5th, 1904, I will sell at public auction, the following:

One brown horse, 9 years old, work anywhere; one mare, 5 years old; two-horse wagon and harness, one set double and one set single harness, two second hand buggies, one double-seated spring wagon.

Terms of Sale.—A credit of 12 months at 6 per cent. interest.

J. W. PARSONS, nov 18 tf. Mt. Vernon, Ky.

The Philippine Islands are a bunch of trouble situated in the far East, within rumor-distance of the war-zone, and not far from the Land of Wallabies. They are bounded on the north by floating torpedoes, phantom squadrons and Port Arthur; on the east by God's country (8,000 miles away); on the south by Thursday Island, Australia and Harry Rickard's Concert Hall; and on the west by the China set, typhoons and Hong Kong.

Rich in natural resources, the islands promise a fair future, which like the fabled will-o'-the-wisp, is ever just beyond the reach of the optimistic inhabitant. Rain falls abundantly during fourteen months of the year, while the rest of the time the sun shines with a splendor unequalled in any part of the world, except Panama.

Agriculture being the principal recreation the islands manage to raise enough foodstuffs to supply a tenth part of the inhabitants. Other necessities are imported. Tobacco growing provides the natives with enough money to purchase matches, perfumery and cheap jewelry, while the foreign element lives on each other and their expectations.

The exports are deported Americans, hemp (to hang them with), broken-down soldiers, Daisy Harcourt and Probasco, while the imports are Australian actresses and Scotch whisky.

At the present rate of consumption, the imports have the best of the deal, but it is believed that the exports will increase considerably during the next year.—The Manila Sun.

DeBore (an amateur photographer) understood that they have discovered a method of photographing sound.

Miss Knox (yawning)—Well, I'm glad to know it. Perhaps some of you amateurs will now be able to take a hint when you hear it.

"What singing so early in the morning?" exclaimed the boarding house landlady, as she encountered one of her hash destroyers in the hall. "Don't you know that it is unlucky to sing before breakfast?"

"Perhaps it is," rejoined the early warbler, "but somehow I never feel like sinking after I have monkeyed with your bill of fare."

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no gripping or other unpleasant effect. Sold by Chas. C. Davis, the druggist.

A Place To Avoid.—Meandering Mike—Say, Pete, yonse wanter lave Cincinnati off yez visiting list.

Phodding Pete—Wot's dat for?

Meandering Mike—Cause I seen in de paper dat emul soap was made dere in a day ter supply de hui town fer a year.

Greening—The favorite in the third race yesterday fell in the stretch; and the jockey was instantly killed.

Browning—Horrible!

Greening—I should say it was horrible. Why, I had \$10 on the horse to win.

## Ayer's

You can depend on Ayer's Hair Vigor to restore color to your gray hair, every time. Follow directions and it never fails to do this work. It stops

falling of the hair, also. There's great satisfaction in knowing you are not going to be disappointed. Isn't that so?

My hair faded until it was about white. It took just one bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor to restore it to its former dark, rich color. Your Hair Vigor certainly does what you claim for it.—A. M. Brown, Rockingham, N. C.

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With a full line of everything you need to keep you warm:

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Ladies' and Gents' heavy weight Underwear at prices never before

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At all Prices.

Goods Go at Cost.—A complete line of Flannels, Flanelets, Outings, Gingham, Chambras, Cantons, Silks Satins, Velvets.

Trimmings of all kinds, such as: Hamburgs, Laces, Braids, binding and Linings.

They must go, so come and see us. We want to sell them and we can save

you money.

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As a candidate for County Attorney,  
subject to the action of the Republi-  
can party.

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As a candidate for Jailer of Rockcastle County,  
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We are authorized to announce  
C. H. ROLL MARTIN

As a candidate for Jailer of Rockcastle county,  
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W. W. PARSONS

As a candidate for Jailer of this county, subject  
to the action of the Republican party. Primary Nov. 19.

We are authorized to announce  
W. W. (Dick) MORRIS

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We are authorized to announce  
F. S. PHILLIPS

As a candidate for Jailer of Rockcastle county subject  
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### FOR SUPERINTENDENT

We are authorized to announce  
G. M. BALLARD

As a candidate for Superintendent of Rockcastle  
County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce  
S. N. DAVIS

As a candidate for Superintendent of Rockcastle  
County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

### FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce  
H. L. McFERRON

As a candidate for Sheriff of Rockcastle county subject  
to the action of the Republican party. Primary Nov. 19.

We are authorized to announce  
G. S. GRIFFIN

As a candidate for Sheriff of Rockcastle county,  
subject to the action of the Republican party. Primary Nov. 19.

### FOR ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce  
R. J. MCKINNEY

As a candidate for Assessor of this county (long term), subject to the action  
of the Republican party. Primary November 19.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate  
for the position of Assessor of the office  
of Assessor of Rockcastle County, subject to  
the action of the Republican party, which  
will be held for the purpose of nominating  
Republican candidates for the various offices  
to be filled by the voter at the general election  
Nov. 1905.

I have always been a consistent Republican,  
and have always been loyal to its principles,  
and I am proud to be a member of the  
Republican party. I will faithfully and honestly  
discharge the duties of the office. If the party  
gives this honor to some other good  
Republican, I will do what can be done  
about his election at the general election,  
but I feel that my services to the party  
entitle me to office.

Very truly,  
JOE WOOD.

We are authorized to announce  
T. S. BRANAMAN

As a candidate for Assessor (long  
term) of this county, subject to the action  
of the Republican party. With  
J. H. CHAMBERLAIN as Deputy.

### COUNTY COURT CLERK

We are authorized to announce  
H. L. TATE

As a candidate for County Court Clerk of  
Rockcastle county, subject to the action of  
the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce  
REV. W. J. CHASTEN

As a candidate for County Court Clerk, of  
Rockcastle county, subject to the action of  
the Republican party. Primary Nov. 19th.

### FOR MAGISTRATE

We are authorized to announce  
WM. McQUEEN  
as a candidate for Magistrate in district  
No. 1, subject to the action of the  
Republican party.

We are authorized to announce  
CHESLEY PAYNE  
as a candidate for Magistrate in the  
Fourth district, subject to the action of  
the Republican party. Primary  
November 19.

The election of Mr. Douglas,  
shoemaker, as Governor of Massa-  
chusetts on a platform of tariff re-  
vision and reciprocity with Canada  
seems to have stirred the Republi-  
cans all up, and they now earnestly  
declare that they are going to cut  
down the tariff just as soon as they  
can get at it, and never had any  
other idea in their heads. Perhaps  
the "emocratic party, like Sampson,  
will be able to slay more Philistines  
in its defeat than it was able to dis-  
pose of during the years of its vic-  
tories.

CHAIRMAN THOS. JAGGART gave  
as the cause for the great Republi-  
can landslide last Tuesday week:  
"That we did not have enough  
Democrats." We may not have  
enough Democrats to win, but we  
have a sufficient number to prevent  
any such defeat as that just ex-  
perienced, if they would only go  
to the polls and vote. Stay-at-home  
Democrats need never expect to win.

In 1840 and also in 1872 the  
democratic defeat was worse than  
this year. And at the next elec-  
tions, they swept the country.  
That is just what they will do in  
1908.

A SEVENTY year old bachelor in  
Boston married an eighteen-year-old  
girl who has twice been a widow.  
He must have wanted youthful-  
ness and experience combined.

### POLITICS AND POLITICIANS

The United States Circuit Court  
of Appeals at Cincinnati held the Chi-  
nese exclusion law to be constitu-  
tional.

President Roosevelt stated that  
he would reply to all letters and  
messages of congratulation upon  
his re-election.

Thomas E. Watson, who was the  
Populist nominee for President  
denies a report that he will leave  
Georgia to make his home in New  
York.

The British newspapers regard  
President Roosevelt's personality  
as the chief factor in the big Re-  
publican victory in the United  
States.

Southern Democrats in Washing-  
ton are almost unanimous in be-  
lief that there will be a reduction  
of the South's representation in  
Congress.

An invitation to be extended  
President Roosevelt and Vice Presi-  
dent Fairbanks to visit Chicago af-  
ter the President's visit to the  
World's Fair.

J. Frank Hanley, Governor  
elect of Indiana, says it is his in-  
tention to keep the State penal and  
benevolent institutions under non-  
partisan control.

A factional war seems inevitable  
among Kentucky Republicans over  
the distribution of Federal patron-  
age. The "hungry ones" object to  
incumbents in office being given a  
third term.

It is reported in New York that  
on or about January 1 Judge Par-  
ker will become head of a promi-  
nent law firm of that city, and  
that he will receive a guarantee of  
an annual income of \$50,000.

### SCRAPS

—O—  
(BY JET)

Freddy Goozleman was timed  
the other morning when getting up  
to go fishing, and he dressed him-  
self in 30 seconds. His record for  
dressing to go to school is 58 min-  
utes.

Policeman—Give me wan kiss  
now, thin Oi'll be afther goin'.

Biddy—Indade Oi'll not.

Policeman—Thin Oi'll be forced  
to arrest yez for resistin' an officer.

Stella—I would rather wed a man  
of brains than one of muscle.

Mollie—Because why?

Stella—Because while a man of  
muscle could chop up a beefsteak,  
a man of brains could figure out  
where the beefsteak was to come  
from.

Fred—I've just written a poem.  
Joe—Indeed! What's the matter  
with you?

Fred—The matter with me?

Joe—Yes; is it love or indiges-

tion?  
"How true it is, as Shakespeare  
says, 'The good men do it out in-  
terred with their bones,' " remark-  
ed the home-grown philosopher.

"Yes," rejoined his wife, "I sup-  
pose as a general thing there is so  
little of that it isn't worth saving."

Hyker—I say, old man, your silk  
hat looks deucedly shabby this  
morning.

Pyker—Yes; I was out all night,  
and it lost its nap.

"How long has the minister been  
preaching?" whispered the stranger,  
who had wandered into church and  
sat down near the door.

"About 30 years, I believe," re-  
plied the other occupant of the  
pew.

"That being the case," continued  
the stranger, "I may as well stay.  
He must be near the end of his dis-  
course."

"Judge, doesn't your conscience  
trouble you after giving a fellow  
man a life sentence?" queried the  
parson.

"Not if I am convinced of his  
guilt," replied the Judge. "But I  
should think yours would."

"Why, what do you mean?" asked  
the minister in surprise.

"You not only sentence innocent  
men for life," answered the Judge,  
"but you collect a fee for doing it."

Strikes—  
A workman his job is apt to throw  
up.

If the wages he gets he dislikes;  
But the clock is quite different  
because

It continues to work when it  
strikes.

"Oh, George," exclaimed Mrs.  
Garvey, as she met her husband in  
the door with tears in her eye.  
"Mamma has injured her hand, and  
the doctor says there is danger of  
loosening."

"Don't be alarmed, my dear," re-  
plied the knowing Garvey. "Al-  
lie have to do is to keep the bod-  
y awake and her jaws will never  
stay locked."

Parental Diplomacy.—"Here is a  
book that our daughter should  
read," said Mr. Wiseman. "It  
contains some excellent advice for  
girls of her age."

"Very well, dear," replied his  
better half. "I'll lay it on the  
table and forbid her to look at it."

Neglected Education.—  
When the coal man was a schoolboy  
He wasted his time having fun;  
That is probably why he thinks  
Seventeen hundred makes a ton.

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Missouri Pacific Railroad and Scenic  
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### NEWS NOTES

Col. Bennett H. Young was re-  
elected commander Kentucky di-  
vision U. C. V. by acclamation, at  
the annual reunion of the veterans  
held at Pewee Valley.

As the result of raising a row in  
a Gypsy camp in Pulaski county  
two men were shot and seriously  
wounded by the inmates of the  
camp.

It is authoritatively stated that  
John D. Rockefeller and Jas. Still  
man, of New York, have purchased  
\$25,000,000 in Santa Fe railroad  
stock.

A Wabash train with 1,200 pas-  
sengers on board was wrecked in  
the outskirts of North St. Louis by  
the wheels of the tender jumping  
the rails. Fourteen persons were  
injured, two trainmen probably  
fatally.

The famous Liberty Bell, which  
has been on exhibition at the St.  
Louis World's Fair, started on its  
homeward journey Wednesday es-  
corted by a committee from Phil-  
adelphia.

About 60,000 water wheels are  
used for manufacturing in the  
United States, yielding 1,300,000  
horsepower or one-quarter to one-  
third of the whole power used. Of  
his total 250,000 horsepower is used  
by the 2,000 mills in New England.

Eight of the European thrones  
will pass from father to son if all  
goes well. The Shah will prob-  
ably be succeeded by his brother,  
and the King of Spain by his sister,  
while there is no direct heir to  
Queen Wilhelmina.

Adolph Weher has been arrested  
at Auburn, Cal., on the charge of  
murdering his parents, sister and  
brother and setting the family re-  
sidence on fire to hide the crime.

The total strength of the United  
States army at the close of the last  
fiscal year was 3,871 officers and  
68,946 enlisted men.

The value of the catch made by  
the fisheries of Great Britain and  
Ireland for the past six months of  
the year was \$21,121,420.

United States troops that have  
served the allotted time in the  
Philippines are to return home  
and they will be replaced in the  
islands by troops from the United  
States.

The case against the manager  
of Berea College, charged with vic-  
tiation of the Day law by teach-  
ing in groves and whites in the insti-  
tution, was called for trial at Nel-  
sonville Monday. John G. Car-  
rillo represents the college. The  
case will probably go to the United  
States Supreme Court.

Five members of the Goebel  
Monument Commission inspect-  
ed the model for the bronze statue  
of William Goebel at Lexington and  
declined to accept it. The contract-  
ors were notified to execute a new  
model and were given nine months  
further time in which to complete  
the work.

Plans for the new State Capitol  
drawn by Architect Frank M. An-  
drews were received by the State  
Capital Commission. The matter  
of a change of site for the struc-  
ture was not discussed, but the  
plans were drawn to suit the pres-  
ent site.

The practicability of receiving  
wireless messages both as to atti-  
tude and distance was demon-  
strated at the World's Fair aeronauti-  
concourse, when over a score of  
messages were transmitted from  
the wireless tower and received by  
the operator in aerial craft.

### PROVERBS

"When the butter won't  
come put a penny in the  
churn," is an old time dairy  
proverb. It often seems to  
work though no one has ever  
old why.

When mothers are worried  
because the children do not  
gain strength and flesh we  
say give them Scott's Emul-  
sion.

It is like the penny in the  
milk because it works and  
because there is something  
astounding about it.

Scott's Emulsion is simply  
a milk of pure cod liver oil  
with some hypophosphites  
especially prepared for delicate  
stomachs.

Children take to it naturally  
because they like the taste  
and the remedy takes just as  
naturally to the children be-  
cause it is so perfectly adapted  
to their wants.

For all weak and pale and  
thin children Scott's Emulsion  
is the most satisfactory treat-  
ment.

We will send you  
the penny, I. C., a  
sample free.

Be sure that it is the penny  
in the churn of a milk can or  
any other vessel you buy.

SCOTT & BOWNE,  
Chemists,  
409 Pearl St., N. Y.

Albert Bowman, successful suit-  
or the hand of Miss Stella White  
at Louisville, Ind., was shot and  
killed by his rival, Edward Thomas.

### HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN

Always restores color to gray hair, all the dark, rich color it used  
to have. The hair stops falling, grows long and heavy, and all  
dandruff disappears. A clean dressing.

### THE SUNDAY BIBLE SCHOOL

Lesson for the International Series  
for November 20, 1904.—Isaiah's  
Message to Judah.

Prepared by the "Highway and By-  
way" Preacher.

(Copyright, 1901, by J. M. Benson.)  
LESSON TEXT.—Isaiah 1:1-10, 16-20;  
memory verses, 1:20. Study all of the  
verses 1-20.  
GOLDEN TEXT.—"Cease to do evil;  
learn to do well."—Isaiah 1:16, 17.  
TIME.—30 E. C.  
PLACE.—Jerusalem.

### Introductory Note.

The prophecy of Isaiah carries us into  
a period of the history of Judah some-  
what later than that which we have been  
studying. Following the 40 years' reign  
of the king of Judah, the prophet  
Isaiah, or "Uzziah," as in 2 Kings 19:2  
and in Isaiah 38:1, it was during the latter  
part of his reign that Isaiah began prophe-  
cizing, and, as is indicated in the opening  
verse of his prophecy, his ministry con-  
tinued through the reign of Jotham, 16  
years; Ahaz, 16 years, and into Hezekiah's  
reign of 29 years. The kings of Israel, dur-  
ing this period were Jehoram 11, 41 years;  
Zachariah, his son, 6 months; Shallum  
(usurper), one month; Menahem (usurper)  
10 years; Pekahiah, his son, two years;  
Pekah (usurper), 20 years, and Hosah, 10  
years, during whose reign the kingdom of  
Israel came to an end. This occurred dur-  
ing Hezekiah's reign. For the history of  
the time during which Isaiah prophesied  
see 2 Chron. 26-32.

### The Lesson Outline.

THEME.—A Message to the Wayward.

I. Introduction.—v. 1.

(1) The Charge.—vs. 2-4.

(2) God Speaking.—v. 2.

(3) God the Faithful Father.—v. 2.

(4) A Rebellious People.—vs. 2-4.

(5) Ungrateful and Selfish.

(6) Sin laden.

(7) Unresponsive to Discipline.

(8) Utterly Corrupt.

(9) Their Land Desolate.

(10) Movements of God's Mercy.

(11) The Appeal (Salvation's Requisites).—

vs. 16-18.

(12) The Cleansing from Sin.

(13) Turning from Sin.

(14) Doing Good.

(15) Promise and Threat.—vs. 19, 24.

(16) God's Hand of Mercy and Blessing.—

v. 19.

(17) God's Hand of Judgment and Pun-  
ishment.—v. 24.

Comparing Scripture with Scripture.

I. Introductory, v. 1.—It identifies the

author, "Isaiah, the Son of Amoz;" it

states the nature of what follows, "the  
vision;" it fixes the objective of the  
prophecy, "Judah and Jerusalem;" and  
it tells "in the days of Uzziah, Jotham,  
Ahaz and Hezekiah." Here is a sug-  
gestion for preachers, teachers and clas-  
sifiers, all who would give instruction  
in God's Word. He clear as to the  
message; definite as to its objective  
aim, and fit to the times and needs  
of those to whom it is addressed.

II. The Charge. (1) God Speaking, v.

1.—The heavens and the earth are filled  
with the voice of God. His people of  
an ancient people. He is speaking to  
us through His Son.—Heb. 1:1, 2.

(2) God, the Faithful Father, v. 2.—  
Nourished at His breast by children,  
the history of God's dealings with Is-  
rael is a long story of love, patience,  
kindness and mercy. God redeemed  
them from bondage, nurtured them into  
a nation, gave them a "land flowing  
with milk and honey," and made them  
a great nation under David and Solo-  
mon. This is but a picture, a type, of  
that God has done and is doing for  
every human being who will accept His  
offer. He has sent His Son to deliver  
from the bondage of sin (John 3:16);  
He has given a goodly heritage (Rom.  
8:17), and He has shown the way of  
holiness (2 Cor. 3:14).

(3) A Rebellious People, vs. 2-4.—(a)

"Ungrateful and Selfish." "Do not  
now, do not consider." How like peo-  
ple is to-day in their attitude toward  
God. "I will not be instructed by  
Isaiah, 24:11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100."

"Why should ye be  
tricked any more?" It is an awful  
thing when God has to leave a soul alone  
in its sin. The doom of a soul is sealed  
when God ceases to strive with it.  
Compare first part of Gen. 6:3 with Man  
(2:2). (c) Utterly Corrupt.—"The  
whole head is sick, and the whole heart  
is faint." This with verse 6 indicates the  
deplorable moral condition of Israel.  
Man, in the sight of God, is a hope-  
less, helpless sinner (Rom. 3:10; Isa.  
64:6). (d) Their Land Desolate, vs.  
7, 8.—Ah, how the world is suffering  
to-day from sin. See it all about us  
and so it will continue until Jesus  
comes to reign supreme. (e) Monu-  
ments of God's Mercy, v. 9



# MT. VERNON SIGNAL

MT. VERNON, KY., NOV. 18, 1904

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## PERSONAL

Sam Pennington has gone to Arkansas.

Wade Brown will see the fair next week.

W. A. Cox has moved into his new house.

Henry Tharp, L. & N. agent, has been moved from Riley's to Junction City.

Mrs. M. L. Myers spent Monday and Tuesday with the Dr. a Brodhead.

Bob Adams and family will leave for Crab Orchard tomorrow to make their home.

Miss Willie Benton, of Brodhead, spent several days with her little friends here.

Atty Robt. Boyd, Jr., of London returned Wednesday from a week's visit to the World's Fair.

Dr. J. Harry Hendren, formerly of Madison county, but now located at Johnetta, was here Monday.

Miss Sallie Dickerson will go to Bowling Green, January 1st, to take a course in the Business College at that place.

Vance Swanigan and family, and Napoleon Whitaker and family left Monday for Bloomington, Ill., where they will locate.

Mrs. U. G. Baker was called to Jackson county this week, on account of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Nan Lawrence.

Deputy Collector Davis, of Lancaster, has rented the Mrs. Stephens property and will move his family here in the near future.

W. H. Cress was in to see us yesterday and told us that he would leave next Monday for Monticello, Wayne county, to make his home.

J. U. Wallin, two sisters and niece, have gone to Texas for their health. Rev. O. M. Wallin, a brother, will follow in a short time.

"Devil" Jack Mullins, of Laurel, is here this week delivering fruit trees. Jack is a second Nath Woodcock, so far as entertaining the boys is concerned.

J. W. Smith, a brother of W. T. Smith, of this place, died in Arkansas a few days ago. It has only been about a year since Mr. Smith left Paint Lick for the West.

John B. Smith, brother-in-law of our townsman, James Maret, died in the Lebanon, Va., Insane asylum last week where he had been an inmate for the last twenty years.

## LOCAL

The bird law expired Tuesday.

Harve Steele is a candidate for assessor in Laurel.

Rube Johnson, of near Wildie, was found dead in bed yesterday morning. Heart trouble supposed to be the cause.

NOTICE.—I am the physician in charge of Luther Jarrett, who is a candidate for jailer, and I most positively state that he is rapidly improving, and will soon be out again. It has been told by persons that he would not get well, and I make this statement in justice to Mr. Jarrett.

PERCY BENTON, M. D.

William Sayers, of near Brodhead, died Wednesday morning of a complication of diseases at the ripe old age of 86. Mr. Sayers was one of the very best citizens of the county and a man who will be greatly missed by his neighbors and the community in general. He was one of the oldest Masons in the State, and was Master of the Brodhead lodge for many years. His remains were laid to rest yesterday morning at 9 a. m., in the family burying ground, by the order, of which he had been a devoted member so long.

Supt. G. M. Ballard informs us that the Nov. draft is here for teachers.

The indications are exceedingly good to strike gas in well No. 2, being put down by the Rockcastle Development Co.

E. C. Linney retired last week from the editorial management of the Mountain Echo to make the race for Circuit Court Clerk.—London Democrat.

Those who have their hands posted against hunters, etc., can have a notice of same inserted in the SIGNAL from now until the hunting season is over for 25 cts.

TO EXCHANGE.—A good milch cow and calf for a cow giving plenty milk and one that makes reasonable amount of butter. Will give a bargain for the right kind. Call at this office.

WANTED.—A competent man to take charge of our company hotel at Livingston Address, New Livingston Coal Co., Nov. 11 3t Livingston, Ky.

To-morrow is the all important day with the some forty or forty-five Republican candidates, who are wanting offices. In some of the cases things are rather peculiarly shaped and the outcome will more than likely be quite a surprise.

C. C. Williams and T. D. Mullins have bought from Mrs. Lofner farm just west of town. Mr. Williams gets the large field next to Presbyterian church for \$900 and Mr. Mullins the rest of the land with all the buildings for \$1,150.

FOR SALE, A COMMISSARY.—We will receive bids until November 20th, 1904, for the stock of goods and good will of commissary, located at Hummel, Ky.

Address, KENTUCKY FREESTONE CO., Nov. 18 1t Cincinnati, Ohio

For a few moments yesterday afternoon it began to look like there was going to be a hot time in the old town. Nathan Doan and Mike Pittman engaged in an encounter, which resulted in a heavy blow for Pittman and two ugly but not serious cuts for Doan, just under the shoulder. It came up over an old grudge.

Gabe Stallworth, age 16, and a son of Thos Stallworth, of Pine Hill, while out hunting a few days since, accidentally let a gun discharge, the entire load entered his abdomen, killing him instantly. The young man was standing on a stump watching for a rabbit and it seems that one side of it gave way and let him fall, and in the fall the gun was discharged.

The Rockcastle County Medical Association will meet in Mt. Vernon, Ky., November 29, 1904, at 1 p. m.

The election of officers for the year 1905 will be held at this meeting. A paper on pneumonia will be read by Dr. M. Pennington, also one by Dr. W. E. Graveley on chronic bronchitis. A free discussion of both subjects will be asked of all members in attendance. All physicians in the county whether members or not, are cordially invited. Also those in adjoining counties are respectfully invited.

S. C. DAVIS, Secy.

The Teachers Association of district No. 1 meets at Buckeye, Nov. 24th, at 10 a. m. The following is the programme:

Devotional by O. M. Wallin.  
Welcome address by Mrs. M. Pennington  
Response by Prof. Dickerson.  
Song by School  
Address by G. M. Ballard.  
Recitation by Miss Mayme Jones.  
Subject for discussion—"School Management" by S. N. Davis.  
Prof. Dickerson.

How get the cooperation of parents: Felix Bowman, Sam Chandler.  
The value of character study, to the teacher: W. A. B. Davis, Ed Gentry.

Essay by Miss Byrda McHargue.  
Adjourned to meet at 1 p. m. Afternoon.—Opened by song.  
Recitation by Miss Fannie McClure.  
Discussion, "Spelling," by W. A. B. Davis, Miss Mayme Jones and others.

History, by George Childress, Miss Maggie Hansel and Miss Ellen Wild.  
Geography, by Joe Childress, Miss Bettie Pennington and Rev. Bell.  
Arithmetic, by Jno. Meadows, Geo. Fish and Prof. Dickerson.  
Adjourn—3 p. m.

Teachers of the county are cordially invited to meet with us and take a part in the meeting.  
Mrs. M. PENNINGTON, Secy.

## COLLEGE NEWS.

"A fairy seed I planted,  
So dry and white and old;  
There sprang a vine enchanted  
With magic flowers of gold."

"I watched it, I tended it,  
And truly by and by  
It born a jack o' lantern  
And a great Thanksgiving pie."

—[Primary.  
Visitors during the past week were Misses Nellie McFerron, of Pine Hill, and Willie Benton, of Brodhead.

The cold weather does not lessen the interest manifested in the school. The pupils from the country continue to come regularly, and there is still one class perfect in attendance.

Be strong!  
We are not here to play, to dream, to drift!

We have hard work to do, and loads to lift:  
Shun not the struggle—face it "Thy God's gift."

—[Collegiate Room.

Thanksgiving.  
For this new morning with its light;

Father, we thank thee.

For rest and shelter of the night;

Father, we thank thee.

For health and food, for love and friends;

For everything thy goodness sends.

Father we thank thee

—[School.

TO THE DEMOCRATS OF ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

Under the provisions of the Par v Law, the democratic voters of Rockcastle county are called to meet at their respective voting places on the 3rd Monday in Nov., 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m., standard time, and then and there proceed to the election of a precinct committee.

And the precinct committee thus elected are required to meet in Mt. Vernon, Ky., on the 4th Monday in Nov., 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of organizing and electing a chairman and secretary.

November 7, 1904.  
J. W. BROWN, Chm.  
E. S. ALBRIGHT, Secy.

## LIVINGSTON

Earl Dickson has malaria.

Miss Ella Butner leaves for Louisville to-day.

Mrs. Ed Woodall has a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. James Aldrich is visiting her mother, Mrs. Coffey, at Wildie.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Daniels have moved in the John Pope property. Born, to Mrs. John Silvers, Tuesday November 15th, twins a boy and girl.

Little Miss Ethel Hayes, who has typhoid fever, is slowly improving.

Mrs. James C. Mullins has returned home after an extended visit in Richmond.

Mrs. Henry Browning and son Walter, are visiting relatives in Crab Orchard.

Miss Georgia McFerron spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. W. H. Stark and children, of Louisville, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Salyers have moved into the R. C. Wade residence on Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cottongim have taken rooms at the Mullins Hotel for the winter.

Mrs. John H. Jarrett, of Brodhead, is with her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Cooper, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hocker spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hocker, at Pittsburg.

Harry Bowman has a severe attack of typhoid fever. He is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Walton.

Sam Magee, of the J. C. Hocker & Co., was quite sick Wednesday and Thursday, with facial neuralgia.

Urban Chewning has purchased the store room and residence of J. W. Baker. Mr. Baker will probably locate at Corbin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Girkling returned to their home at Mitchell Ind., after a pleasant visit with friends here and in Knox county.

Mrs. W. F. Tubbs, baby Krishna May, and Frank Childress are visiting Mesdames Bailey and Milton at Bailey's Switch, this week.

Charles and Archie Cooper, who have been down with malaria, are

now convalescent. Miss Flossie Gilford and brother, Harry, are improving.

Dr. T. J. Wilkerson, of Louisville, will be here for ten days with a room at John Pope's. Any one needing dental work done should give him a call.

Revival services are being held at the new Baptist church conducted by Rev. Thos. M. Smith, of Pulaski, and the regular pastor, Rev. F. P. Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Magee are now at home in their new residence across the river. They entertained a number of young folks with a social, one evening last week.

Fullen Francisco and family will move to Brodhead Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Downs will take charge of the Eight Gables Hotel and will keep it up to its high standard. Here's wishing them success.

Messrs. Bryson and Hitt, of Cincinnati, and W. C. Mullins and W. F. Tubbs, of this place, are here hunting this week at Bailey's Switch and enjoying the good cheer and hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. John Hilton, Jr.

Robert Mattingly, of Paris, and Miss Loma Graves were married Wednesday evening at 8:30 in the parlors of the Eight Gables Hotel by Rev. F. P. Gates. The groom is a popular K. C. R. employee and the bride is a handsome young lady, the niece of Fullen Francisco. Among the guests present were Mesdames Will Stanley, Braci Graves, Rice, Miss Ella Butner and others. They left on the night train for Cincinnati.

## NEWS ITEMS

The Crown Princess of Korea died at Seoul.

Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge suffered a stroke of paralysis while at work in his office.

The bank of Rio, I. L., was rolled of \$2,000 by eight men, who dynamited the safe.

It is said that Cornelius Vanderbilt is to be given a position in the consular service, presumably at Berlin.

The Ecuador-Columbia boundary dispute has been submitted for arbitration to Emperor William of Germany.

Losses of \$750,000 and the serious injury of several persons were caused at Knoxville, Tenn., by an explosion.

Albert Harrison, a Minnesota armer, living near Colnasset, shot and killed his son, whom he mistook for a deer.

To a committee who awaited upon President Roosevelt stated that he will visit the World's Fair on Saturday Nov. 26.

Emperor William will present to the United States many of the valuable objects now on exhibition in the German building at the World's Fair.

In a collision between a freight train and a passenger train on the Union Pacific road in Wyoming, eleven persons were killed and five injured.

The Young Men's Christian Association at Paducah, owing to inability to meet indebtedness and current expenses, has decided to make a assignment.

A Chicago paper says Eastern financiers and Standard Oil interests are behind a scheme to form a great combination of all the leading railroad lines of the country.

It is estimated that nearly 8,000 visitors to the Kentucky building at the World's Fair have played on the piano, the familiar old tune of "My Old Kentucky Home."

A Russian war correspondent relives the old story that Kuroki, the Japanese General, was killed at the battle of Liao Yang, and asserts that the story has been confirmed.

Artillery fighting continues intermittently in the vicinity of Mukden, the firing at times being heavy. A severe artillery engagement is reported to have taken place Saturday on the Russian right.

Secretary Shaw denies the published report that he will make a call on Government depositories for a loan of \$20,000,000 in the immediate future. Should such a call be made it probably will be issued some time in January.

France does not consider the time opportune to exert her influence, singly or jointly, toward mediation in the Russian-Japanese War. The Russian and Japanese embassies at Paris have also given out statements discouraging mediation.

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St. Louis.

## Commissioner's Sale.

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT.

W. P. Riddell & Co. Plffs.

vs. James Riddell, Deft.

In Equity.  
By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Rockcastle Circuit Court rendered at its May term, 1904, in the above styled case, I will proceed to offer for sale on a credit of six months, at the front door of the Court house in Mt. Vernon, Ky., on Monday Nov. 28, 1904, between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock p. m., at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described real estate located in Rockcastle county, Kentucky and on the waters of Roundstone creek, and bounded by the Coway lands, the lands formerly owned by Jos. McClary, John Himes and Robt. Lear, and is the same land deeded to Julia A. Himes, late Julia A. Lear, by Literal Martin and Carroll Martin and their wives, which deed is of record in deed book K, page 104, in the Rockcastle County Court Clerk's office and to which reference is here made; and contains ninety acres more or less.

The purchaser will be required to give bond with approved surety payable to myself for the purchase money, and to have the force and effect of an execution and to bear 6 per cent. from date of sale till paid. Bidders will be required to comply with these conditions.

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